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Box PATENT APPLICATION
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Sir:

Enclosed please find an application for United States patent as identified below:

Inventor/s (name ALL inventors): Umashanker Sampath; Joseph A. Toce;
Sourena Nadji

Title: POLYMERIC COMPOUNDS USEFUL AS PRODRUGS

including the items indicated:

1. Specification and 31 claims: 5 indep.; 26 dep.; _ multiple dep.;
including 58 page(s) of written description; 7 page(s) of claims;
1 page(s) of abstract.
2. ☒ Drawings, 11 sheets (Figs. 1-11)
3. ☐ Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney
☒ Unexecuted Declaration/Power of Attorney
4. ☐ Application Data Sheet under 37 C.F.R. §1.76.

5. ☐ Assignment for recording to:

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☒ Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.215(b), please print the following assignment information on the face of the published application:

Assignee: Reliable Biopharmaceuticals, Inc.
St Louis, Missouri

6. ☒ The applicant claims small entity status.

7. ☐ Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(b) of:

Country:

Number:

Date:

A certified copy of the prior document ☐ is enclosed ☐ will follow
☐ was filed in a previous application.

8. ☒ Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of:

Number: US 60/202,795
Date: 5/09/2000

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9. ☐ Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)(2)(B)(i) for Nonpublication.

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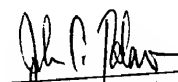
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11. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement
13. ☐ Nucleotide or Amino Acid Sequence Listing.

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Respectfully submitted,



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PATENT FEE COMPUTATION SHEET

	No. of Claims Pre- sented	Extra Claims Previ- ously Paid For	Number of Extra Claims	Rate
Basic Fee				\$710.00
Total Claims	31 - 20	- 0 = 11	x \$18.00	\$198.00
Independent Claims	5 - 3	- 0 = 2	x \$80.00	\$160.00
Multiple Dependent Claims		- if so, add	\$270.00	\$0.00
Surcharge for late submission of filing fee and/or declaration (\$130.00)				\$0.00
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